

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Bi *et al.*

APPLICATION NO.: 10/625,444

FILED: 07/22/2003

FOR: **METHOD, CODE AND SYSTEM FOR ASSAYING JOINT  
DEFORMITY**

EXAMINER: DESIRE, G.

ART UNIT: 2624

CONFIRMATION NO.: 7956

**Response to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers under 37 CFR § 1.121**

Mail Stop Issue Fee  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated August 17, 2007 in the above-identified application, applicant has enclosed a replacement drawings sheet containing Figs. 14A and 14B.

No fees are believed to be due with this transmission; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any deficiency in fees herein to Deposit Account No. 50-2207.

Remarks

Figs. 14A and 14B now contain the reference numbers that were missing on the previously submitted drawing. No new matter has been added.

If in the opinion of the Examiner a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of the subject application, the Examiner is encouraged to call the undersigned at (650) 838-4401.

Respectfully submitted,

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